

Year 1/2—Summer Term

Dear Parents and Guardians,
I hope you had a restful Easter holidays. I'm really excited for Summer term, we have lots of lovely experiences planned and I know that the children will have a fantastic time! We will certainly be making the most of our final term!

Water

Please send your child into school with a water bottle labelled with their name. Please try and make this a different water bottle to the one in their packed lunch bag.

Children should only bring water to school.

No squash or juice.

Summer 1 topic is

Super Senses

Which sense is the most important and why?

Learners will be encouraged to be curious and search for answers in order to understand the five senses. They will explore a range of indoor and outdoor environments in order to make observations and communicate their ideas, exploring the world around them. Learners will be supported to inquire into and apply scientific knowledge to further understand how our world works and how our senses allow us to navigate it safely.

General Reminders

- Children are reading an Oxford Reading Tree book in class **at least once a week** though we are aiming for more often. To help us, please ensure that your child brings their book bags to school every day.
- The children will continue to have P.E on a **Wednesday** Please send children to school wearing their P.E kit. They will need a t-shirt, joggers/leggings and sports shoes. **No earrings** to be worn on these days.
- With the warmer weather (hopefully!) approaching, please make sure you apply suntan lotion to your child **before** they come to school. You are welcome to send in a labelled bottle of lotion for your child to re-apply throughout the day. Please also ensure your child has a sun hat/cap too.

Please remember you can keep up to date with school life by looking on our Facebook group. Search: **Parc Lewis on Facebook**.

Summer 2 topic is **FORCES AT PLAY**

How do we know that forces exist?

Learners will begin to understand that forces and energy provide a foundation for understanding our universe. They will identify, follow and begin to create sequences and patterns in everyday activities in order to understand the impact forces have on our environment. Pupils will explore push and pull forces through a range of hands on investigations.

If any parents have any experience or knowledge that would benefit either of our Summer topics please let me know. We love inviting the school community into our classroom. These learning experiences are invaluable and can help create life-long memories.

Snack Reminder

If you choose for your child to bring their own snack please ensure it is labelled with your child's name and it is either a piece of **fruit, vegetable or breadstick ONLY.**

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to ask.

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